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called the other day upon Mrs. Butterwick to ask for a subscription to the Misionary Society. The following conversation took place:

"No" replied Mrs. B., he belongs to pretty near everything else ou earth but the Church. That's what I say to him, that while he is joining so much he'd better join something decent, that'll do him some good. But he says he has no time. He belongs to about forty-six secret s cieties of various kinds. He's the awfulest man for such things you ever saw, and all the time running after them. Monday night he goes round to the Freemasons, Tuesday night he associates with the Odd Fellows, Wednesday is his Red Man night, Thursday is his Temperance Lodge, Friday he goes fooling along with the Knights of Pythias, and all day Sunday he is visiting the sick and the widows and orphans of dead members. If there were sixty days in a week I believe Butterwick would

kinder queer at breakfast, and presently he stops and says: "Thunder, I forgot where I mh 30-td MORTON MARYE. was! Mary Jane, you saw that? It was a grand hailing sign. Swear you'll never reveal EXANDRIA. grand hailing sign. Swear you'll never reveal And you know he'll wake up nights and ask me if I heard him talking in his sleep, and ity. He says he knows more secrets than any other man in the whole State, and he says if he was to tell one of them, those Knights and Patriotic Sons, and the rest of them, would put him into a vault and seal him up alive, or tear him to pieces with red hot piechers.

wick had the St. Vitus dance bad; and I know my past course is the index to my future conwhen he tried one of those grips on the man that came to tune the piano, the man said if

he's marching in a procession. Always some funeral, or celebration or something, and he turus out and goes skipping around through the streets, dressed in a cocked hat and sword, and looking fierce enough to frighten any body out of their wits. And he told me that some times he Lets all these grips mixed, and he'll give a Mason an Odd Fellow's grip, and tell me not to be surprised if he is kidoapped and made away with before morning. And he'll kiss the children good-by, and make his last little ar rangements so's everything'll be straight when he's gone; and then the children and me'll cry, and he look solemo, and go to bed to rest before he meets his doom. But nothing ever came of it. They never touched him.

ter and a Sir Kuight, and an Eminent Past tional interest of securing their own flags and Grand Sachem, and a Noble Grand, and a Capturing those of the enemy.

Grand Chancellor, and a Chief Magnificent Reverend Druid Priest, and a lot more such things as that, enough to take you breath away; and with it all he's no more stuck up than you and with it all he's no more stuck up than you are. Just as humble as a lamb. And he says that he can reel out more stuff that they say at ceremonies than'd till a small library; and

Saturday paying up his past dues to the Knights of Pythias, and he says if he can't settle up with the Druids by Thursday they'll cut him off and chuck him out. I don't know what happens to a man when the Druids shut down on him, but Butterwick hints that it is not much better than sudden death. Perhaps you're a Druid? No? Well, you call aud see Butterwick and he'll explain it to you, and the best way they cao. Maybe, if you was to write to them how Butterwick is fixed they might consider that sufficient. Good morning. Remember me to Mrs. Grimes."

to visit a less mysterious family .- Exchange.

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50 boxes & oz. Twist, Danville.
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feb 21 71 King street. · 71 King street. feb 21

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96 King street. ECRU. We have just received a ful ECRU LACES, NET and VEILING, which we are offering at low prices. Also a large lot

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CANDIDATES.

[All cards inserted under this caption must be paid for in advance.]

TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF AL-EXANDRIA—I respectfully announce myself a candidate for re election to the office of City Treasurer—subject to the action of the Conservative party in convention or primary election. [ap 13-td] W. D. CORSE.

A TTHE REQUEST of many friends HEN-RY W. FEBREY will be a candidate for the House of Delegates to supply the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Captain W. H. ap 8-te

TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA CITY AND COUNTY.—Having announced myself as a candidate for a sext in the next House of Delegates, my friends will please remember that I am still in the field and am desirous of receiving their warm and active support. My past record for perseverance and fidelity to every trust confided to me is the guarantee for my future conduct.

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ap 4-te HUGH LATHAM. TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF AL-EXANDRIA -1 respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of City Ser. geant-subject to the action of the Conservative party in convention or primary election. sp 4-td JOHN W. CAMPBELL.

TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA CITY AND COUNTY—I desire to be a candidate for the vacant seat in the House of Delegates to be filled at the May election. I believe I can be of service to this community, if elected, and promise in that event, to serve the interests of the city and county without predjudice, partiality or fear of individual consequences.

M. 1) BALL.

TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA CITY AND COUNTY—I hereby respectfully announce myself a candidate for the seat in the House of Delegates made vacant by the resignation of Capt. Wm. H. Fowle—subject, of course, to the decision of a Conservative nominating Convention or primary election.

mh 31

GEORGE A. MUSHBACH

have some lodge to attend to every night.

Mr. Grimes, that man actually knows ninetythree grips and over two hundred passwords.

And he's awful mysterious about them. The
other day I saw him swinging his arms about
the action of the Corporation Court—subject to other day I saw him swinging his arms about the action of the Conservative party in conven-

At the request of some of my friends, I hereby announce myself a candidate for re election to the office of Commonwealth's Attorney of if I say yes, he'll look scared to death, and get the city of Alexandria at the approaching May out his pistol and say he'll blow my brains out if I ever repeat one of those passwords. And he is all the time practicing grips on me, but he won't even tell me what any of them are, ability to the discharge of the legitimate duties of the office.

JOHN M. JOHNSON. mh 29-td TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA can didate for re-election to the office of City Sergeant. Thanking my many friends for their former support, I hereby solicit its continuance He's so careless, too. I see him giving the in the election to be held on the 25th of May, grand hailing sign to the slopman yesterday, 1876. I have endeavored to discharge the duand the slopman asked Bridget if Mr. Butter- ties of the office to the satisfaction of all, and

mh 28-td ROBERT T. LUCAS. he squeezed his hand that hard again he'd TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA-I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of City Sergeant, to be voted for at the election on the 25th of May next—subject Is now in receipt of his stock of Spring styles of to the decision of the Conservative party.

The 20 tf

ROBERT F. KNOX.

RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE myself a candidate for CLERK OF THE CORPORATION COURT, of the City of Alexandria.

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JAMES R. CATON.

Preparation for Out door Games is now in order. THE NEW FIELD GAME AT.

FRENCH'S.

VEXILLO,"

Or the Improved Method of Playing Croquet. The prettiest and most interesting lawn game ever invented. The players have an additional interest in this game over ordinary croquet, as here directed to him. 'E. Butterwick,' and then a whole alphabet of letters strung after his name. He's a Right Worshipful Graud Master and a Sir Kuight, and an Eminent Past tional interest in this game over ordinary croquet, as each one has a flag to secure, making the game far more interesting and exciting. Nothing of Croquet is lost by Vexillo, as the players have all the play that croquet affords with the additional interest of securing their own flags and

as the rubber tace on the mallet gives a certain elasticity to the stroke; besides carom shots can

be made as in billiards.

EXCELSIOR CROQUET, of Rock Maple, the cheapest and best in the market. Fuil sets,

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Good Goods and Quick Sales—The Best Staple
and Fancy Stock in the city—Great Increase
in Business—New Goods per Express from
New York—We Defy Competition—Every
Department Full and Complete, and all
Goods sold at Down Prices—Goods to Country Manufacture at Baltimore Prices try Merchants at Baltimore Prices.
CALICOES 5c. COTTONS 5c.

Black Goods a Specialty. D. D. BRASHEAR, No. 109 King street, Alexandria, Vs.

H. B. Hoomes. ap 12 LOOK!

THE CENTENNIAL KNIFE, SIDE BOX
AND BIAS PLAITER. Call and examine at ap 11 C. C. BERRY'S, 72 King st.

THERE WILL BE A DIVIDEND OF FIVE PER CENT paid on and after the first day of April to the creditors of THOMAS PERRY who have presented their accounts

properly authenticated.

mh 21-d&twlm J. H. D. SMOOT, Trustee. LAWN GRASS SEED.

Mixed English Lawn Grass Seed, from Landreth, just received.

mh 25 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

WESSEL FOR SALE. The schooner "JOE MILLER" 12 tons, in first rate order, with new set of sails, &c. Apply to P. B. HOOE, No. 2 Prince st, ap 8-1w

2 HHDS PORTO RICO MOLASSES, suitable for baking, just received; also prime New Orleans and Porto Rico Molasses, Syrups and Strained Honey, for sale by dac 4

THOPPING AXES and AX HELVES, of assorted quality; a large lot just received at 88 King street, corner of Royal. Wholesale and retail. J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

COMPOUND SYRUP OF GLOBE FLOW-RR, Anodyne Pectoral, Bull's Cough Sy-rup and all the popular cough remedies of the

85 King street

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DENTAL NOTICE.

Desirous to accommodate my former patrons, I have closed my Dental office in Washington and reopened permanently at my old residence, No. 17 south Royal street, where I will be pleased to see my old friends and the public

generally.

In addition to my well known—and in looking back 23 years—I may justly say "well tried" SETS on GOLD and SILVER PLATE, I am also prepared to make and repair Vulcanite and Celluloid Sets in the most perfect and durable manner.

ap 11-1m* JULIUS DIENELT, Dentist. DR. B. F. JONES,

No. 32 North Gay street, BALTIMORE, MD.

Late Resident Physician and Surgeon to Spe-

Cial Hospital for the Genito Urinary
Organs, Paris J
Guarantees speedy and certain relief in all Diseases and Irrregularities Incident to Females, in Impotency and Sterility, and all ills concomitant with Abuse of Nature's Laws.

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K. KEMPER, ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY PUBLIC,

OFFICES: { MAYOR'S OFFICE. NO. 56 KING ST. ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

mh 13-3m DENTAL NOTICE.

DR. D. N. RUST Has removed his office to the
NORTHEAST CORNER OF PRINCE AND
WASHINGTON STREETS.

A CARD.—Circumstances rendering it desirable that I should locate in Baltimore, I have transferred my DENTAL PRACTICE in Alexandria to DR. D. N RUST. He has been for so many years associated with me as to need no introduction or endorsement, his skill, ability and reputation for honesty and high integrity being well known. I cordially commend him to the favor of my friends and patients, as well worthy of the position to which he succeeds, and bespeak for him the practice with which, for so bespeak for him the practice with which, for so

long, I have been favored.

JAMES B. HODGKIN. Alexandria, Va., mar 10-tf

> BOOTS AND SHOES. SPRING STYLES

BOOTS & SHOES.

F. PAFF,

LADIES', GENTS',

BOYS' and CHILDREN'S BOOTS AND SHOES. The assortment is well selected and cannot be surpassed in quantity or quality. It has been

purchased at the lowest c sh prices and will be sold at a small advance to suit the times. A large force of skilled workmen constantly employed, and the finest kind of custom work

made to order upon short notice. Having served as a practical shoemaker for a number of years, my long experience ena-

bles me to guarantee a perfect fit for any shaped

ICE DEALERS.

ICE! ICE!

A full supply of NORTHERN

from the clearest or water, and of unusual PU-RITY and SOLIDITY, constantly on hand. Persons desiring to secure their summer's supply of the article, ABSOLUTELY FREE FROM ALL IMPURITIES, and at REASONABLE RATES, can do so by leaving their

orders at my office, or by arrangement with my A. REED

JANNEY'S WHARF.

CLARKE'S

GALLERY OF FINE ARTS. No. 158 King street.

A large and choice collection of new FINE CHROMOS, new style EASEL STATUARY and FLOWER PIECES, fine Gold and elegant Velvet PHOTOGRAPH FRAMES, SWISS CARVED GOODS, Gold and Silver Picture Cord, PICTURE FRAMES, the finest line in the city, with many useful and beautiful articles for gifts, selected with great care and offered at low prices. dec 20

RECEIVED BY STEAMER a large stock of Floor Oil Cloths, in all widths, very cheap at D. F. WITMER'S. chesp at OPENED THIS DAY some very CHEAP INGRAIN CARPETS.

D. F. WITMER. A LSO a beautiful assortment of TAPESTRY and VELVET MATS and RUGS
D. F. WITMER.

TIMOTHY & CLOVER SEED

For sale by R. M. LAWSON COMMISSION MERCHANT,

ALEXANDRIA, VA. SPRING. 1876 We have just received our first supply of LANDRETH'S GARDEN SEEDS for the Spring sales of this year. We are prepared to furnish LANDRETH'S ALMANAU AND CATALOGUE OF SEEDS to all of our custemers.

E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. feb 25 DRESS GOODS.

We have this week still further reduced were 371c to 27c a line of Dress Goods wat up any new this season. We do not wishnem over rup and all the popular cough remedies of the day. For sale by feb 4 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

20 DOZEN JADIES' WHITE COTTON HOSE at 121c—the best ever offered in Alexandria at this price.

Alexandria at this price. No. 109 Eing street, Alkandria, Va.

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DHILIP B. HOOE,

NO. 2 PRINCE STREET GENERAL COMMISSION AND SHIPPING MERC'T Dealer in all kinds of
FERTILIZERS, SALT AND PLASTER
Agent of the
LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE IN
SURANCE COMPANY.
feb 5—tf

C. & E. MILBURN,

Wholesale and Retail
GROCERS & COMMISSION MERCH'TS.
No. 19 N. Royal st., cor. Market Space,
Alexandria, Virginia.
Orders and consignments solicited. They will
receive careful and prompt attention.

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R. M. LAWSON, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANA,
No. 69 Cameron street,
Alexandria, Virginia
Deals in Standard Fertilizers and Grass Seeds.
Cash advances made on Grain in store. Consignments solicited.
aug 3

R. B. LAWSON & CO.,

[Successors to R. M. Lawson,]
GROCERS AND LIQUOR MERCHANTS,
No. 67 Cameron street,
aug 3 ALEXANDRIA VA.

THOMAS PERRY, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT THE SALE OF FERTILIZERS,

No. 17 King street, aug 16-tf ALEXANDRIA, VA. GEO. WASHINGTON.

R. J. WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON & BROTHER

COMMISSION MERCHANTS
NO. 20 UNION STREET,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Consignments of Grain, Merchandise and all
kinds, of Country Produce solicited. Special
attention given to all business entrusted to them.
Prompt returns made.

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W. A. SMOOT,

COAL SALT AND PLASTER
SMOOT'S WHARF,
(Foot of Princess st..)
Alexandria, Virginia. SHINN & CO

(Successors to Samuel Hartley,)
#ENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS
No. 13 Union street, Alexandria, Va.
Alexandria, Va.
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Particular attention paid to the selling of
FLOUR, GRAIN and all kinds of COUNTRY
PRODUCE, and filling all orders for GROCE
RIES GUANO, PLASTER, SEEDS. &c.,

Ac., at the lowest market rates.

Agents for the sale of James S. Welch's celebrated brands of FAMILY FLOUR.

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J. LANNON. J. BRODERS. J. BRODERS & CO. No. 11 King street,

GROCERIES,
LIQUORS,
PROVISIONS,
SALT FISH,
and P) GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS Wholesale Dealers in

Also keep on hand a general assortment of Cordage, Tar, Pitch, Nails, Lime, Packing, Oils, Lamps and Ship and Naval Stores. All orders and consignments promptly attended to, and goods forwarded without delay to con

ignees on arrival.

Agents for Dupont's Gunpowder. XXX Ale and Porter always on hand. Agents for the Baltimore and Potomac Trans unh 10-tf portation line.

GROCERIES. HAVING THIS DAY PURCHASED OF Mr. F. E. Corbett his interest in the CHINESE TEA COMPANY,

No. 11 north Royal street, I respectfully solicit a share of the public pat-ronage. I intend to keep constantly on hand a well selected stock of choice FAMILY GRO-CERIES, which will be sold very chean for cash. [mh 23-1m] C. H. SCHAAFF.

W. A. JOHNSON,

[Successor to Johnson & Sherwood,] GROCERY, LIQUOR, FEED AND COM-MISSION MERCHANT,

Northeast Corner Cameron and Royal streets. ALEXANDRIA, VA. All orders from the country will receive prompt and careful attention.

GEORGE MCBURNEY & SON, Dealers in
CHOICE FAMILY AND FANCY GROCERIES, WINES AND LIQUORS,
ENGLISH and SCOTCH ALE and BROWN STOUT.
Also, EASTERN and POTOMAC HERRING

and MACKEREL.
NOS. 166 AND 170 KING STREET, (Washington Hall Building,)
Alexandria, Va.
Orders promptly filled. m

G. WM. RAMSAY.

WHOLESALE AND FAMILY GROCER,

-AND-

TEA DEALER. S. E. COR. KING AND ST. ASAPH STS.,

Alexandria, Va.

SOUTHERN Breakfast Wheat.

ACKNOWLEDGED SUPERIOR TO MOST PREPARATIONS OF WHEAT. THE EQUAL OF THE BEST. PRE-EMINENTLY A CHILD'S FOOD. FOR SALE BY GROCERS.

OLD TIMES COME AGAIN-We are selling the best New Orleans Sugar at 9c per Look at sample in our show window.

n 21 GEO MCBULNEY & Sam.

PICKLES.—New Cucumber, Laglish Mixed and Chow Chow, at HARMON'S.

Sep1 Cor. P. ace and Royal and Harmon's BLOATERing, and Nos. 1

YARMON' Labrador Hy and ackerel for W. A. JOHNSON.

PEARLE Grits, Barley, Farina, Maizena, Starch, Graham Flour and Oats Meal, for Salo by [Oct 18] GEO. McBURNE & SON. BORDEAUX PRUNES, and finest London Layer, loose Muscatel and Valencia Raisins received to day by dec 15 J. C. & E. MILBURN. CAPCINE and ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS; also Corn and Bunion Plas-

DRY GOODS.

AN ELEGANT STOCK OF NEW SPRING DRESS GOODS.

We have just received, from auction and first NEW SPRING STOCK OF DRESS GOODS, and ladies in pursuit of the newest styles, at the lowest prices, will find the best assortment of

NEW AND RELIABLE STYLES in our stock to be found in this market. We have an EXTRA LARGE STOCK of SPRING SILKS and FINE WOOL DRESS GOODS, and the largest assortment of LU-PIN'S MOURNING GOODS kept in this market, and our prices are all marked in plain figures, at the lowest cash prices

TO ONE PRICE ONLY.

W. M. SHUSTER & BRO.,

919 Pennsylvania avenue, Washington, D. C. SOMETHING NEW IN CALICOES-ED-DYSTONE POLONAISE, HAIR CLOTH CHEVIOTS and GREYS-They make teautiful dress's. The style of making up is shown by engravings The handsomest thing ever out

in Calicos.

CALICOES, in choice styles at FIVE CTS. a yard. COTTONS at FIVE CTS. a yard. ap 11

H. C. SLAYMAKER CO. JUST OPENING FROM NEW YORK A LARGE STOCK OF

SPRINGGOODS Parasols and Umbrellas, in all grades. Dresses and Over kirt and Basque made up for \$2 each; very pretty and good quality.
Black Silks, Striped and Checked do. for the Spring, with a great variety of other goods

Spring, With a great variety of other goods

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J. M. STEWART.

SPECIALTY.

THE HOME MADE SHIRT, Price \$1.

COURVOISIER'S KID GLOVES,

Price 85 cents.

D. F. BRASHEAR.

TO COUNTRY MEECHANTS—Tuesday,
April 4th, 1876—We are prepared to sell all
styles of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Notions,
&c., to country dealers cheaper than ever, and
are willing to be guided by Baltimore quotations.

D. F. BRASHEAR,
H. B. Hoomes.
No. 109 King street,
Alexandria, Virginia.

CORSETS! We have received another supply of these FORTY-BONE CORSETS, at \$1. Also the celebrated SANITARY CORSETS. Price \$2.50, together with a full line of other styles, from 50c up, at FERGUSON & BRO'S.,

Cloths, Cassimeres and Suitings,

FOR MEN AND BOYS' WEAR.

Saturday, March 25, 1876.

all new styles; sold very cheap.

D. BENDHEIM 112 KING STREET. NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

J. M. STEWART

Has just opened a fine stock of SPRING GOODS. Plaids for over dresses and the plain goods to match. Percales, in great variety. Prints and Cambrics. Black Gro. Grain Silks for \$1.50-a fine article.

Australian Crapes, very handsome.

Black French Cashmeres.

Crape Veils and English Crape for trimming.

Single and Double Black Cashmere Shawls. Plaid and Striped Muslins. Lons tale Cambrics.

A stock of superior (Richardson's) Irish Very beautiful printed Linen Lawns, White do., Table Napkins of all prices, Hemstitched Linen Cambric Handkerchiets for ladies and Control of John T. Evans, dec'd. gentlemen, Gloves and Hosiery.

A large lot of superior finish Alpacas. These goods are beautiful blacks and the most ap-

proved brands. Very fine Black Mohairs, with all kinds of Bleached Goods, superior Cotton Sheetings, KID GLOVES!

IN SPRING STYLES.

Two Buttons......\$0 75 Two Buttons...... 1 00 Three Buttons _____ 1.25 C. C. BERRY'S. BY NEW YORK STEAMER THIS DAY.

A beautiful and carefully selected agsortment of THE NEWEST STYLES OF TAPESTRY

BRUSSELS CARPETS. Also CHINA and COCOA MATTING, in all widths, at D.F.WITMER'S

NO. 73 KING STREET, (Second floor.) A FULL LINE OF 3-Ply Ingrain Hemp Carpets, OIL CLOTHS, RUGS, MATS, &c.,

At D. F. WITMER'S, No. 73 King street, second floor. 144 Pretzfelder & Co.

Offer Great Bargains in CASSIMERES for Men and Boys' wend MO-Large lines of BLACK ALPACA Jet Black, at extremely low prices. ALKS! Bought at BLACK SILKS! BLACKON sales, and which the late New York AON PRICES. we will sell at AJ'SHIRTS AT REDUCED UNLAUNDR! PRICES: of double width POPLIN AL-A small S in new Spring shades at 25c-worth

A line of newest styles DRESS GOODS at 121c -worth seeing.
A full line of WHITE GOODS, EMBROIDE-RIES, etc. PRETZFELDER & CO., No. 144 King street. mh 15-tf

10MBINGS-Save your combings and have

them manufactured in Switches, Braids, Curls, Puffs, &c., at a very small expense, by experienced hands, at
J. FERGUSON & BRO'S. Hair Depot, 96 King st. 5,000 YARDS!!!

HAMBURG EDGINGS, ction, which will be sold at great From auction, FERGUSON & BRO., . 96 King street.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ALEXAN-DRIA COUNTY, November term, 1875.

Barnitz & Brinton In chancery. Genimel et als. And it appearing also by said report that there is yet due from Henry S. Martin on ac count of his purchase the sum of three hundred

ioliars, (\$300) with interest thereon from the 9th day of July, 1899, it is further ordered that a rule be awarded against the said Henry S. Martin, returnable to the first day of the next term. to show cause, if any he has, why the property purchased by him should not be resold for the payment of said balance so due from him. And this cause is continued for further proceedings.

-[Extract from decree Teste: ap 14-w4w LOUIS E. PAYNE, Clerk.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, Alexandria, Va., April 8th, 1876. In the Circuit Court of Alexandria city. In the Circuit Court of Asset &c., } In ch'y.

Vs.

Alexandria Canal Company et al.

[Ext't. from decree of Nov. term, 1875.]

"The Court doth recommit this cause to the said Commissioner with instructions to ascertain and report to the next term of this Court the residences of the plaintiffs and defendants in the suit of Bayne et al. vs. The Farmers' Bank of Virginia et al., at the time of its institution in the U.S. Circuit Court for the District of Virginia, the residence of the Alexandria Canal Company at the same time and when the said company at the same time and when the same rule issued against it in the said suit, and the presentres dence of said Canai Company, whether or not at the time the said rule issued against the Canal Company there was a decree for money in the said suit against The Farmers' Benk of Virginia, and whether or not a fieri facias had issued thereon and was or had been in the hands of an officer to be levied, who was the receiver in the said case and where he resided, and such other matters as any party may sided, and such other matters as any party may desire said Commissioner to ascertain and report. The said Commissioner shall also procure and file with his report a copy of the bill fied in the said suit, copies of all decrees or orders therein pertaining to the said judgment against the Canal Company, and a copy of the rule against the said Canal Company and of the officer's return thereon. The said Commissioner shall return with his report all evidence taken er shall return with his report all evidence taken by h:m. And the said Commissioner shall also ascertain and report the amount paid by the lesses of the Alexandria Canal to the said The Alexandria Canal Company since the execution of the lease on account of the annual rent of \$1,0.0, and the amount unpaid on account of said rental for said years, stating interest on the balance remaining unpaid at the end of each year. Notice of the Commissioner's proposed action under this decree shall be published once a week for four successive weeks in some convenient newspaper, and such publication shall be equivalent to personal service of such notice on the parties."

THE PARTIES interested in the abovenamed suit are hereby notified that I has e fixed upon the 9th DAY OF MAY, 1876, at my office, No. 56 King street, Alexandria, Va., at II o'clock, as the time and place when and where I shall proceed to execute the said decree, and all such are hereby required to attend at said time and place.

K. KEMPER,

Commissioner in Chancery.

F. L. Smith p. q. VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexan-Opening to-day a large line of the above goods; Makeley, plaintiff, vs. John S. Ridgeley, J. W. Carr and C. Boyd Barrett, defendants. Action of tre-pass on the case.

Memo: The object of this suit is to recover

from the defendants the sum of \$396.97, with interest from March 29, 1875

The defendant, C. Boyd Barrett, not having entered his appearance and given se-curity according to the act of Assembly, and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that he is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that said defendant appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit; and that a copy of this or-der be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Ga-zette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House

of this city. A copy-test:
MORTON MARYE, Clerk. ap 8-w4w D. L. Smoot, p. q. A DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

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